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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Terumi SUNAGA ✓

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TITLE: SPREAD SPECTRUM COMMUNICATION  
TRANSMITTER AND RECEIVER, AND CDMA  
MOBILE COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND  
METHOD

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) Group Art Unit: 2732

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) Examiner: K. Vanderpuye

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Advisory Action dated October 25, 1999. A request for a one month extension is being submitted herein to extend the term up to November 14, 1999, which is a Sunday and thus further extended to November 15, 1999, the next day which is not a Saturday, Sunday or Federal holiday in the District of Columbia. Applicant submits the following amendments to the above-referenced application.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

-- 1. (Three Times Amended) A transmitter used in a CDMA mobile communication system comprising:

a pilot channel transmit unit which intermittently transmits a pilot signal in a spread spectrum formation, wherein the pilot signal is intermittently transmitted in synchronism with other transmitters which transmit pilot signals[;], and the pilot signal is used for demodulation of data signals on a receiver side; and

traffic channel transmit units which respectively transmit data signals in respective traffic channels while the pilot signal is intermittently transmitted.

4. (Three Times Amended) A receiver used in a CDMA mobile

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